

II. SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

On page 1, in line 2, insert the heading, BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION.

On page 3, in line 7, insert the heading, SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION.

On page 3, in line 34, insert the heading, DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING.

On page 4, in line 15, insert the heading, DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION.

On page 1, please replace the first paragraph from line 3 to line 8 with the following:

The present invention relates to a method for controlling application-specific quality of service optimizations by using signalling protocols of a general quality of service level, ~~as set forth in the preamble of the appended claim 1~~. The invention also relates to a signalling protocol for a quality of service ~~as set forth in the preamble of the appended claim 10~~.

On page 3, please delete the paragraph beginning at line 21, "To put in more precisely..." and ending on line 24 with the words, "...part of claim 10".